


**DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR
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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SCRAP REMOVAL FROM ROTARY DIES

(Title of the Invention)

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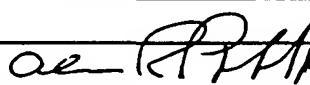
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